



Eric Benét, Leela James, Glenn Jones, and J. Brown Set To Headline the 2019 Black Women's Expo in Chicago

The premiere expo for Black women to host a powerhouse of artists and activities throughout the three-day event

CHICAGO, IL (April 1, 2019) – R&B stars, Eric Benét, Leela James, Glenn Jones, and J. Brown will perform during the 2019 BET Her presents The Black Women's Expo. The Black Women's Expo now enters its 25th year stronger than ever with an array of sponsors, activities, and seminars developed to empower, encourage, and engage Black women.

"Music has long been an integral part of The Black Women's Expo," says Merry Green, creator and founder of The Black Women's Expo. "Songs by Eric, Leela, Glenn, and J. Brown are constantly included on the playlists of Black women, and I'm grateful to have these artists join me in celebrating the expo this year."

The expo, which will be held at McCormick Place from April 12-14, will feature performances from artists across the nation, celebrating the accomplishments and strength of Black women.

"It's an honor to be invited to the 2019 Black Women's Expo in Chicago," says award-winning singer-songwriter, Eric Benét. "Black women have always been the backbone and spirit of our culture."

Singer-songwriter, Leela James, adds, "the expo is a wonderful way to celebrate women of color through health, wellness, entertainment, and sisterhood."

In addition to musical performances, attendees can re-energize in the Walgreens Health & Wellness pavilion, experience AARP's Fab and 50 plus suite, live your best life with Illinois Lottery, enjoy delicious treats at the Jewel-Osco's Culinary Corner and party all weekend-long inside the #SHHH Lounge, all located within the expo.

In addition to purchasing tickets on [The Black Women's Expo](#) website, half-priced adult tickets are also available at all Chicagoland Walgreens locations. Brought to you in part by Inspiration 1390AM, V103, 107.5 WGCI, South Side Help Center, ABC7, Colgate, Country Financial, Howard Brown Health Center, Chicago Sky, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Illinois, Mielle Organics, Social Works and Luster Products.

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ABOUT THE BLACK WOMEN'S EXPO

The Black Women's Expo (BWe), originating in Chicago, offers unparalleled opportunities for brands seeking to engage with the African American consumer in multiple markets. BWe is where Black Women can be found, in record numbers, annually for the BWe Experience, where she finds the latest trends, amazing new products and services, where she gets informed, empowered and enlightened! Black women will not only have the BWe Experience in Chicago, but in Atlanta and Dallas in 2019 with our 3-City Tour! Now in our 25th year, The Black Women's Expo presents an array of dynamic speakers and celebrities in seminar sessions, top musical artists on our main stage...and a lively marketplace for corporations and small business exhibitors to



engage with the powerful and growing African American consumer! With our 3-City Tour, The Black Women's Expo engages millions of consumers through our unprecedented media campaigns, (radio, television, print, digital, social media) with media partnerships in each market.